# Iowa Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board Open Session Minutes

The Iowa Engineering and Land Surveying Board met on Thursday, January 9, 2020, at 200 East Grand, Suite 350, Des Moines, Iowa. Board members present for all or part of the meeting: Laura Sievers, Todde Folkerts, Rita Perea, Marlon Vogt, Lisa VanDenBerg, Jack Jones and Paul Herold. Staff attending for all or part of the meeting: Robert Lampe, Executive Officer; Kimberly Gleason, Licensing Specialist; Caroline Barrett, Assistant Attorney General and Lori SchraderBachar, Site Manager.

Board Members Absent: None.

Public present for all or part of the meeting: Steven Younkin from McClure.

VanDenBerg called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

Roll Call: Sievers, aye; Herold, aye; Folkerts, aye; Perea, aye; Vogt, aye; Jones, aye; VanDenBerg, aye.

# AGENDA CHANGES AND ADDITIONS

None.

### **MINUTES**

MOTION by Perea second by Sievers that the minutes of the November 14, 2019 Open Session meeting be approved as written. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Perea second by Herold that the minutes of the November 14, 2019 Closed Session meeting be approved as written. Motion carried unanimously.

# **CHAIR'S COMMENTS**

VanDenBerg had nothing to report.

# SITE MANAGER COMMENTS

Schraderbachar had nothing to report.

# ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL COMMENTS

Barrett had nothing to report.

# **EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S COMMENTS**

Lampe reported on renewals.

# PUBLIC COMMENT

Younkin addressed the board regarding master's experience requirements for Iowa PE licensure. Vogt thanked Younkin for his research and explained the process the Board must follow regarding Iowa Rules & Regulation changes.

Younkin left the meeting at 9:17 AM.

### DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

No cases to review in open session.

MOTION made by Folkerts to enter closed session in accordance with Iowa Code §§ 21.5(1)(a) & (d) and 272C.6(4), the Board will go into closed session to review pending licensee discipline cases and investigations, including any cases ready for final resolution through closure or consent order, second by Herold. Roll call as follows: Sievers, aye; Vogt, aye; Folkerts, aye; Perea, aye; Jones, aye; VanDenBerg, aye and Herold, aye. Upon the affirmative vote of all the members present, the board went into closed session at 9:18 AM.

The Board returned to open session at 9:30 AM by motion by Folkerts second by Vogt.

MOTION by Herold second by Vogt to find probable cause and schedule a hearing in case 13-04 (15-09) as discussed in closed session. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Vogt second by Folkerts to close cases 19-08 and 19-09 as discussed in closed session. Motion carried unanimously.

Vogt spoke regarding a legal case in a different state. He noted that no Iowa licensees are involved in the suit.

# COMITY COMMITTEE REPORT MOTION by Vert second by Following to approve the following DE Standard Comity

Name	Branch(es)	Name	Branch(es)
Billy J Abernathy	Civil	Mr. Tyler Layton Hopson	Electrical and Computer
Mr. Joseph Eugene Aikins	Civil	Richard Ivins	Electrical and Computer
Isaac Michael Anderson	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)	Jason Andre Johnson	Civil
Paul Michael Andrzejewski	Civil	Stephen Vincent LaBriola	Structural
Florije Arifi Veseli	Civil	Eric Lampe	Electrical and Computer
Mr. Harry J Auman	Electrical and Computer	Raymond Howard Lewis	Electrical and Computer
David Theodore Banning	Civil	Katherine Anne MacDonald	Civil
Rajan Battish	Electrical and Computer	Mr. Brandon James McEwen	Electrical and Computer

William Baxley	Electrical and	Wayne Sheridan Moore P.E.	Civil; Structural
	Computer		
Mr. Daniel Glenn Beard	Civil; Structural	Ashwin Mupparapu	Civil
Chadwick Ryan Bell	Civil	James Ross Myles	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)
Nathaniel Ellis Bolds Jr	Structural	Dusten Littleden Olds	Civil
Scott Michael Braun	Civil	Vimal Parikh	Structural
Dr. John Steven Brauner	Civil; Environmental; Water Resources	Mr. Michael Park	Civil; Electrical and Computer
Bradley Merle Bruggeman	Civil	Matt Killmer Perkins	Civil; Structural
Mr. Richard Cahill Jr.	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration); Water Resources	James Mark Privette	Civil
Mr. Joel Bruce Clary	Agriculture and Biological; Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)	James Hunter Read	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)
Richard Earl Coburn	Electrical and Computer	Brian J Rinke	Structural
Andrew Blake Constant	Civil	Mr. Ryan Michael Rogala	Electrical and Computer
Tamara Susan Czewski	Civil; Transportation	Martin lan Rogin	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)
Jonathan L Demarco	Structural	Mr. Mark Ryan Sarceda	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)
Phillip Duncan	Construction; Structural	BRIAN Alexander SEIP	Electrical and Computer
James Mark Festa	Civil	Jeffrey Andrew Shoemaker	Structural
Mr. Steven Lee Frank	Civil	Donald Lee Tappendorf	Civil
James Franks	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)	Charles Abraham Thomson	Mechanical (Includes HVAC and Refrigeration)

Mr. Drew James Frederixon	Mechanical (Includes	James Edward Tobaben	Civil
	HVAC and		
	Refrigeration)		
Jonathan Coe Gates	Civil	Ms. Lana Lea Tullis	Civil
Douglas Stephen Graham	Structural	Mr. Toby William Tuttle	Civil; Construction
Mr. Vincent Anthony Griffin	Structural	Michael Joel Valentine	Civil; Structural
David A Gwarjanski	Structural	John Robert Viise	Structural
Michael Paul Hahlbeck	Electrical and	David Arthur Wicke	Civil
	Computer		
Emily Marie Hansen	Mechanical (Includes	Kipp Joshua Williams	Structural
	HVAC and		a proper announcement of the contract of the c
	Refrigeration)		
Eric Charles Hesse	Environmental	Dustin L Wolford	Electrical and Computer
Brian Sterling Hill	Civil	Jeremy Kuiken Wooster	Civil
Christopher Aryan Hill	Civil	Jessica Yeager	Environmental
Nathan Peter Holmer	Civil; Structural;		
	Transportation		

# **COMMITTEE REVIEW**

MOTION by Vogt second by Jones to approve the Committee Review application slate as stated. Motion carried unanimously.

Snider, Marc	PLS Comity	Denied – No Degree
Spencer, Donald	PE Comity	Denied – Non Qualifying Degree

# COMMITTEE REVOTE

MOTION by Vogt second by Folkerts to deny Paul Harry application for FLS Exam. Motion carried unanimously.

Harry, Paul	FLS Exam	Revote - Denied

# COMMITTEE REVIEW

MOTION by Vogt second by Folkerts to approve the PLS Comity Committee Review application slate as stated. Motion carried unanimously.

Johnson, Kyle Allen	PLS Comity	Defer for Iowa State Specific Exam
Keller, John David	PLS Comity	Defer for Iowa State Specific Exam

# EXAM CANDIDATES

	d by Jones to approve the Exam application slate as stated. Motion passed
unanimously.	PE Exam
Bents, Alyson	FE Exam
Biese, Tyler	PE Exam
Dooley, Jessica Lynn	PE Exam
Erickson, Corey	PE Exam
Garcia Torres, Luis	PE Exam
Haberman, Vanessa	SE Exam
Hansen, Seth	PE Exam
Harre, Christopher	PE Exam
Hoffmann, Christopher	PE Exam
Hudson, Michelle	PE Exam
Johnson, Patrick	PE Exam
Jones, Eric	PE Exam
Konrad, Emmett	PE Exam
Lawson, Kyle	PE Exam
Locke, Steven	PE Exam
Minnick, Matthew	PE Exam
Oltmann, Aaron	PE Exam
Overman, Dave James	PLS Exam
Ranney, Kevin	PE Exam
Ranney Sean L	PE Exam
Schmitt, Matthew	SE Exam
Sersland, Shawn Lynn	PE Exam
Sikkema, Joel	PE Exam

Spain, Geoffrey	PE Exam
Spotts, Blair	PE Exam
Smith, Trent Lundy	PE Exam
Steege, Scott	PE Exam
Thorson, Tyler	PE Exam
Usher, Katelynn	PE Exam
Van Beek, Andrew	PE Exam
Vierling, Benjamin	FLS Exam
Willard, lan	PE Exam
Wilson, Lucas	PE Exam
Wittkop, Nicholas	PE Exam
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# LEGISLATION/RULES COMMITTEE

Rolling Rules Review Committee Update – Lampe presented the changes/additions. The Board has tasked Lampe with administering a poll to current Professional Engineers regarding decoupling. Lampe noted he would send the final edits to Mr. Scott for his review.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

2021 Central Zone Meeting – Vogt noted that the Downton Hilton has been secured. The board went into a short discussion regarding luncheon speakers and quorum rules.

Emeritus Review – The Board went into lengthy discussion regarding Emeritus Status. Vogt has been tasked by the Board to speak with the current Emeritus members.

Petition for Declaratory Order – Vogt provided a detailed overview.

MOTION by Herold second by Folkerts to approve the petition for Declaratory Order and request Attorney General opinion.

VOTE: Ave: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion carried.

Barrett and Lampe have been tasked by the Board to request Attorney General opinion.

MOTION by Jones second by Perea to approve Sievers, Vogt and VanDenBerg to attend 2020

NCEES Zone Interim and Committee Meeting held April 23-25 in Houston, Texas.

VOTE: Aye: All

Nay: None

Abstaining: None

Motion carried.

Vogt noted that National Board elections will be occurring this year for 2 positions.

# **ADJOURN**

Meeting adjourned 11:14 AM.

These minutes accurately reflect the minutes approved by the Board at the meeting on January 9, 2020.

Chair

Date